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TAGS: US, VN

SUBJECT: US/VN RELATIONS: PHAN HIEN'S REMARKS  
ON US

QUAI HAS JUST INFORMED US THAT PHAN HIEN HAD TOLD THEM  
JUNE 23 THAT HE WOULD BE LEAVING JUNE 24. DURING  
THE JUNE 23 CONVERSATION WITH PHAN HIEN THE FRENCH  
TOLD HIM THAT THE VIETNAMESE SHOULD REALIZE THAT  
THE US PROBLEM CONCERNING VIETNAM WAS MORE COMPLICATED  
THAN HANOI SEEMED TO THINK. PHAN HIEN SAID THAT  
HIS GOVERNMENT UNDERSTOOD THE US EXECUTIVE'S PRO-  
BLEMS WITH THE CONGRESS, BUT IT WAS UP TO THE  
AMERICAN PRESIDENT TO MAKE AN EFFORT TO TRY TO  
CONVINCE THE CONGRESS TO AGREE TO AID TO VIETNAM.  
ACCORDING TO PHAN HIEN, THE SRV IS VERY PATIENT  
AND IS PREPARED TO WAIT UNTIL HE DOES SO.  
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